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Title: A RAPID PRODUCTION METHOD FOR THE  
CARIBBEAN STEEL PAN AND A CARIBBEAN  
STEEL PAN WITH DETACHABLE SKIRT

We transmit herewith for filing the above-identified patent application. Enclosed are the following:

- ( X ) Patent specification with attached signed declaration.
- ( ) Patent specification with attached unsigned declaration.
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- ( X ) Drawings ( 1 Sheet)
- ( X ) Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status

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